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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to certain costs under the statewide preschool
2 program for four-year-old children.
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. Section 256C.4, subsection 1, paragraphs g and h,
2 Code 2014, are amended to read as follows:

3 g. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2011, and each
4 succeeding fiscal year, of the amount of preschool foundation
5 aid received by a school district for a fiscal year in
6 accordance with section 257.16, not more than ~~five~~ ten percent
7 may be used by the school district for administering the
8 district's approved local program.

9 h. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2012, and each
10 succeeding fiscal year, of the amount of preschool foundation
11 aid received by a school district for a fiscal year in
12 accordance with section 257.16, not less than ~~ninety-five~~
13 ninety percent of the per pupil amount shall be passed through
14 to a community-based provider for each pupil enrolled in
15 the district's approved local program. For the fiscal year
16 beginning July 1, 2011, and each succeeding fiscal year,
17 not more than ~~five~~ ten percent of the amount of preschool
18 foundation aid passed through to a community-based provider
19 may be used by the community-based provider for administrative
20 costs.

21 EXPLANATION

22 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with
23 the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.

24 This bill relates to the amount of administrative costs
25 allowed under the statewide preschool program for four-year-old
26 children.

27 Under current law, for both a school district and a community
28 provider under the program, the administrative costs allowed
29 to be paid from state preschool foundation aid is limited to 5
30 percent. The bill increases the limit to 10 percent.